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TOXICITY RESULTING FROM THE USE OF IMMUNOGLOBULINS

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Office Action dated May 12, 2003 finally rejecting claims 1-6, 8-22 and 28-31.

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Respectfully submitted,

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